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For: 3-PYRROLYL UREA DERIVATIVES AND
THEIR USES AS ANTIVIRAL AGENTS

NOTIFICATION

This notification is responsive to the Express Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.138 (Form PTO/SB/24) filed 26 October 2005. The Express Abandonment is signed by registered practitioner William F. Gray. However, 37 CFR 1.138(b) requires an express abandonment be signed by a party authorized under 37 CFR 1.33(b)(1), (b)(3), or (b)(4). In the case of a registered practitioner, 37 CFR 1.33(b)(1) indicates that the attorney or agent of record must be appointed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.34(b) which specifically requires the filing of a power of attorney. A power of attorney is NOT present in the file.

In view of the above, the Express Abandonment filed 26 October 2005 is NOT effective.

The Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) mailed 12 October 2005 remains outstanding.

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